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APPLICANT: RICHARD COOPER, ET AL.  
TITLE: POLISHING PAD FOR USE IN CHEMICAL-...  
SERIAL No.: 10/087,223  
FILING DATE: MARCH 1, 2002  
GROUP: ART UNIT 1731  
EXAMINER: Peter Chin

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To: Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the office action dated August 27, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.